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In re U.S. Patent Application of

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Art Unit 2881

Examiner A. G. Quash

Honorable Assistant Commissioner
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Washington, D.C. 20231

COVER LETTER

Sir:

[x] The fee for submission of claims is calculated as shown below:

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Total Claims	27	27	7 (Over 20)	x \$50	0
Independent Claims	3	3	(Over 3)	x \$200	0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)				+ \$360	0
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[x] Response to Office Action
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[] Preliminary Amendment
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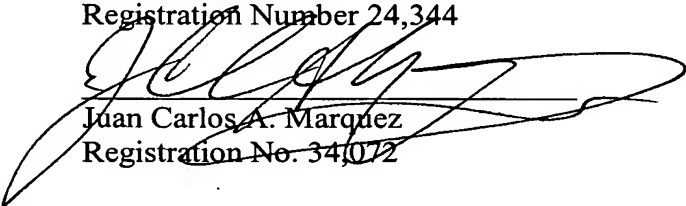
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on August 23, 2005, the period of response to which is set to expire on November 23, 2005. Applicants hereby elect the continuing prosecution of Invention I as recited in claims 1 - 18, drawn to a concrete cask (Class 250/507), without traverse.